



## 5673.0.55.003 - Regional Wage and Salary Earner Statistics, Australia - Data Cubes , 2002-03

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## Summary

### About this Release

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These data cubes contain various cross-tabulations of the characteristics of wage and salary earners such as age, sex, occupation, wage and salary income and total income for the year 2002-03. They are an addition to the data cubes previously published under the catalogue number 5673.0.55.001. Most of the data in these tables are presented for each Statistical Local Area (SLA) in Australia. These data have been compiled from the Australian Taxation Office's (ATO) Individual Income Tax Return Database and are part of the Australian Bureau of Statistics' (ABS) program to increase the range of regional statistics available, particularly through the use of administrative information from other government agencies.

## Explanatory Notes

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#### SPREADSHEET CONTENTS

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All individual income tax statistics provided to the ABS by the ATO have been in aggregated form only, at the SLA level. No information about individual taxpayers has been released to the ABS.

Details of the methodology and the definitions used to compile the statistics presented in these tables are available in the explanatory Notes and Glossary.

#### Please Note:

- (a) Tables that include the 'occupation' variable are currently not available for the 2002-03 financial year. These tables are expected to be released in late 2005. If you would like to be notified of the release of these tables please contact Kirsten Hastwell by phone (08) 8237 7369 or email [kirsten.hastwell@abs.gov.au](mailto:kirsten.hastwell@abs.gov.au).
- (b) Data for the financial years 1995-96 to 2000-01 are available and are associated with cat. no. 5673.0.55.001.

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## CLASSIFICATIONS

Age	15 - 24; 25 - 34; 35 - 44; 45 - 54; 55+
Sex	Male; Female.
Occupation	ASCO First Edition; Major Groups (1 digit) and Minor Groups (2 digit) for 2001-02 data. ASCO Second Edition; Major Groups (1 digit) and Minor Groups (2 digit) for 2002-03 data (not yet available).
Wage and Salary Income	\$1 to less than \$10,400; \$10,400 to less than \$20,800; \$20,800 to less than \$31,200; \$31,200 to less than \$41,600; \$41,600 to less than \$52,000; \$52,000 to less than \$78,000; \$78,000 or more.
Total Income	nil/negative income; \$1 to less than \$10,400; \$10,400 to less than \$20,800; \$20,800 to less than \$31,200; \$31,200 to less than \$41,600; \$41,600 to less than \$52,000; \$52,000 to less than \$78,000; \$78,000 or more.
Geographical Areas	Statistical Local Area for Tables 1-8 and Tables 10-13 and Statistical Subdivision for Tables 9 and 14.
Years	2001-02 and 2002-03